

## Animal Breeders (45-2021)

**Occupation description:** Select and breed animals according to their genealogy, characteristics, and offspring. May require knowledge of artificial insemination techniques and equipment use. May involve keeping records on heats, birth intervals, or pedigree. Excludes "Nonfarm Animal Caretakers" (39-2021) who may occasionally breed animals as part of their other caretaking duties. Excludes "Animal Scientists" (19-1011) whose primary function is research.

### Employment and Job Openings

	Average employment			Average annual openings		
	2010 estimate	2020 projection	Percent change	Growth	Replacement	Total
Alaska	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
United States	11,500	10,700	-7.8	0	360	360

#### Job outlook

**Alaska:** The job outlook for Alaska is not available.

### 2013 Wages ?

	Mean Wage and 95% Confidence Interval			Wage by Percentile		
	Low	Mean	High	10th	Median	90th
United States	n/a	19.38	n/a	8.85	18.24	30.38

### Labor Force Indicators

#### 2012 Worker Characteristics

Total workers	Nonresident workers	Percent nonresident	Percent age 45 plus	Percent age 50 plus
3	2	66.7	100.0	100.0

#### 2012 Potential Supply

Qualified but working in another occupation	0
Currently employed in a lower paid occupation	0
UI claimants previously working in occupation	0

#### 2012 ALEXsys Employment Data

Number of registrants	31
Number of job position postings	0
Ratio of registrants to job position postings	0.0

### Typical Entry-level Education, Experience, and/or On-the-job Training

**Education:** High school diploma or equivalent

**Work experience:** 1 to 5 years **On-the-job training:** Short-term on-the-job training

## Training Resources

	Degree
Calypso Farm & Ecology Center	
Wool Basics and Sheep Shearing	

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